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# Commonwealth of Massachusetts.

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OFFICE OF THE SECRETARY, BOSTON, Jan. 26, 1895.

*To the Honorable Senate and the House of Representatives.*

I have the honor to submit herewith, in accordance with section 2, chapter 262 of the Acts of 1892, the third annual report of the transactions of this office, covering the year ending with the 31st of December, 1894.

To the duties previously assigned to this office the Legislature of 1894 added several others, the more important of which are as follows: the compilation and publication in detail of the returns of votes for state officers; the furnishing to registrars of voters of printed slips of the Constitution of the Commonwealth, with rotary boxes for the use of such slips in testing the reading qualifications of applicants for registration; the furnishing of a standard ink for the use of recording officers of the Commonwealth, counties, cities and towns; the distribution and exchange of public documents among members of the General Court; the making of an official copy of the original manuscript of the Constitution; the collation and publication of a new volume of special laws, comprising those of the years 1889 to 1893 inclusive.

The office force for the year 1894 was substantially the same as that for the previous year.

## RECEIPTS AND EXPENDITURES.

The receipts from fees, etc., amounted to \$50,678.62, and were from the following sources : —

Commissions, . . . . .	\$9,230 00
Corporation certificates, . . . . .	19,999 26
Limited partnerships, . . . . .	48 00
Licenses, . . . . .	19,215 50
Sale of books, etc., . . . . .	224 21
Labels, trade marks, etc., . . . . .	134 00
Miscellaneous, { Certificates, . . . . .	\$665 50
{ Revolutionary records, . . . . .	664 00
{ Copies, . . . . .	498 15
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	\$50,678 62

These fees were paid into the treasury monthly, and a quarterly report thereof was made to the Governor and Council, as required by law.

The expenses for regular salaries were \$22,966.33, and for temporary clerks as follows : —

Publication of the early laws, . . . . .	\$1,654 67
Publication of the Revolutionary rolls, . . . . .	600 00
Indexing corporation returns, . . . . .	1,200 00

— a total of \$3,454.67 for temporary clerks, and a grand total of \$26,421.00. The incidental expenses of the office were \$3,608.17.

## COMMISSIONS.

The number of commissions issued was 2,085, of which 239 were without fee. The different classes were as follows : —

Justices of the peace, . . . . .	1,385
Notaries public, . . . . .	409
Trustees, commissioners, etc., . . . . .	141
Massachusetts commissioners in other States, . . . . .	31
District police, . . . . .	29
Trial justices, . . . . .	21
Clerks, municipal, district and police courts, . . . . .	13
Justices and special justices, municipal, district and police courts, . . . . .	12
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Commissioners to qualify civil officers, . . . . .	10
Pilots, . . . . .	7
Medical examiners, . . . . .	5
Masters in chancery, . . . . .	4
Judges of probate and insolvency, . . . . .	2



District attorneys, . . . . .	2
Registers of probate and insolvency, . . . . .	1
Associate justices, superior court, . . . . .	1
Special commissioners, . . . . .	1

Certificates to the number of 2,965 were issued, of which 303 were without fee.

I renew my recommendation of last year, that a law be enacted providing that all commissions shall take effect upon date of oath, unless some other day shall be specified in the commission. The Constitution provides that "any person appointed or commissioned to any judicial, executive, military or other office under the government, shall, before he enters on the discharge of the business of his place or office, take and subscribe" certain oaths. The law allows an appointee three months in which to take the required oaths; but under the present practice a commission takes effect upon its date, and it is nominally in force from such date, although the person holding it may not have been able to act thereunder for three months, — an anomalous condition which it seems to me should be corrected as far as possible.

#### CORPORATION DIVISION.

The total number of certificates of incorporation issued under general laws to new corporations was 497, classified as follows: —

Manufacturing and mercantile corporations (under P. S., chap. 106, sect. 21), . . . . .	228
Religious, charitable, social, educational, musical, athletic, etc., corporations (under P. S., chap. 115, sect. 4), . . . . .	171
Fraternal beneficiary corporations (under Acts of 1888, chap. 429, as amended, and Acts of 1894, chap. 367), . . . . .	30
Churches (under acts of 1887, chap. 404), . . . . .	32
Life and casualty insurance corporations (under Acts of 1890, chap. 421), . . . . .	6
Mutual insurance companies (under Acts of 1887, chap. 214, and Acts of 1894, chap. 522), . . . . .	12
Railroad corporations (under P. S., chap. 112), . . . . .	2
Street railway corporations (under P. S., chap. 113), . . . . .	11
Library (under P. S., chap. 40), . . . . .	1
Co-operative banks (under P. S., chap. 117), . . . . .	2
Labor organization (under Acts of 1888, chap. 134), . . . . .	1
Manufacturing corporation reorganized (under P. S., chap. 106, sect. 22), . . . . .	1

Certificates of incorporation were filed by Roman Catholic churches under Public Statutes, chapter 38, sections 48, 49 and 50, to the number of three.

The number of miscellaneous certificates filed and recorded was 2,633. Of these, 1,838 were certificates of condition (under section 54, chapter 106 of the Public Statutes); 228 were certificates of organization of manufacturing and mercantile corporations (under chapter 106 of the Public Statutes); 171 were certificates of religious, charitable and other organizations (under chapter 115 of the Public Statutes); 203 were certificates of payment of capital in manufacturing and mercantile corporations (under chapter 106 of the Public Statutes); and the remainder were distributed among twenty different classes.

The number of miscellaneous certificates filed and not recorded is 674, of which 640 were certificates of condition of foreign corporations, and the remainder were divided among nine other classes.

There were issued 7 certificates of change of name of corporations.

Returns were received of the dissolution of 22 corporations by the supreme judicial court.

Details of all these statistics appear in the Abstract of Certificates of Corporations, published by this office (Public Document, No. 10).

Under the act relating to the incorporation of clubs, one certificate of incorporation which had been issued to a club was declared void, and of no further effect, upon evidence that the premises of the club were used for illegal purposes. Charters were refused applicants in six cases under said act, and there was one withdrawal by the parties originally making the application for incorporation.

In the amendatory act of 1894 (chapter 542) an inadvertent omission was made of the words "or whenever satisfactory evidence shall appear that the premises occupied by such club or organization are used for the illegal sale of intoxicating liquors, or for illegal gaming." I therefore recommend the restoration of the words quoted.

Limited partnership certificates to the number of 48 were filed and recorded.

The card index to the corporation returns and certificates is completed to the year 1889. The cards are now being arranged alphabetically under their many classifications. This is being done to enable the few remaining years to be finished with all possible despatch.

#### LABELS, TRADE-MARKS, ETC.

By an act of 1893, chapter 443 (which was amended by chapter 285, Acts of 1894), entitled “An act to protect persons, associations or unions of persons in their labels, trade-marks and forms of advertising,” the duty was placed upon the secretary of the Commonwealth of receiving, filing and recording such labels, etc., and of issuing certificates of such filing and recording. Under this law labels, trade-marks, etc., were received and certificates of record issued in 67 cases.

#### MARKS AND DEVICES ON CANS, ETC.

By chapter 440 of the Acts of 1893, entitled “An act to protect the owners of cans, bottles, boxes, siphons and fountains used in the sale of milk, cream, soda water, mineral and aerated waters, ale, beer, ginger ale or other beverages”, it is made the duty of the secretary of the Commonwealth to receive and file descriptions of marks, devices, etc.; and under this law 133 such descriptions were received and filed.

#### REGISTRATION RETURNS.

The returns of births, marriages and deaths from the various cities and towns for the year 1893, which were received in 1894, cover 67,192 births, 22,814 marriages and 49,084 deaths, — a total number of 139,090. This is an increase over the returns received in 1893 of 1,368 births, 307 marriages and 322 deaths. It is apparent from a comparison of the relative increase of returns of births and deaths that many births escape registration and return.

The medical examiners' returns cover 2,221 cases, — an increase of 11 over the returns received in 1893.

The returns by the clerks of the courts of the decrees of divorce number 1,350, — an increase of 513 over the last returns.

All of these figures are compiled and presented fully in the Fifty-second Registration Report (Public Document No. 1).

Four hundred and thirty-nine certificates of records of births, marriages and deaths were issued during the year 1894, principally for use in State aid and pension claims.

The proposition to transfer the preparation of the Registration Report from this office to that of the State Board of Health, which was made and rejected in 1893, was renewed before the Legislature of 1894, through the report of the State Board of Health. The matter was referred to the joint standing committee on public health. After a full hearing the committee reported, as the same committee had reported to the Legislature of 1893, against the proposed change, and the report was again adopted by the Legislature.

#### INDEX TO EARLY REGISTRATION RETURNS.

In accordance with a recommendation in the first annual report of this office, the Legislature of 1893, by chapter 31 of its Resolves, authorized the preparation of a card index to the registration returns for the period between the years 1841 and 1880, to supersede the present imperfect and practically useless index. It was estimated that this work would cover about 3,200,000 names, and that it would require about three years for its completion. The number of names was under-estimated by about 300,000, but the work has been pushed with great energy, and is now nearly completed. The excess in the number of names has, of course, resulted in additional cost, amounting to \$5,000. There are now about 1,200,000 names contained in the returns for the years 1881 to 1889, inclusive, which are indexed by the old and very imperfect method prevailing down to the beginning of the card index in 1890. A careful examination of these indexes shows them to be so imperfect as to warrant a new index, which will give the Commonwealth a complete and practically perfect card index from the beginning to the present time. I therefore strongly recommend that this be done, and that an appropriation of \$10,800 be made therefor.

#### ARCHIVE DIVISION.

The principal work carried on during the year has been the classification and arrangement of the mass of miscellaneous papers that had laid undisturbed for generations in closets and obscure places through all the changes and growth of the office



from its beginning to the present time, many of them in their original files and packages, practically inaccessible, and a standing reproach to the reputation of the Commonwealth for preserving and caring for its records. These papers were found to range in date from 1700 to 1790, and covered every conceivable subject. Among them were found wills, deeds, court papers, council orders and warrants, original drafts of resolves, rolls of the French and Indian wars, letters of the colony agents at the Court of St. James, bills and accounts of the Board of War and committee of supplies during the revolution, etc. The extent and quantity of material embodied in this collection can be better gathered from the statement that the loose papers as arranged will make forty-three large volumes, averaging 375 pages each, while the bound books of accounts, etc., will make at least five volumes more, — making in round numbers fifty volumes to be added to the Massachusetts Archives collection of manuscript documents.

The papers were broken out of the original bundles and files, sorted and examined, classified by subjects, and under each subject head arranged chronologically. They were then divided into volumes of as nearly equal a size as possible, without breaking the group arrangement, and given volume and page numbers, by which they will be hereafter known in the archives collection. The work of the binder is alone necessary to enable them to be placed in the archives collection.

It is now proposed to make a card index to this important addition to the archives (for which an appropriation of \$1,200 is asked), and then to extend this index from year to year, throughout the entire archive collection, until the present imperfect catalogue index shall be replaced by a comprehensive and systematic card index.

During the first portion of the year the work of transcribing the records of service from the rolls, etc., found among the miscellaneous collection, for the purpose of embodying them in the record index to the Revolutionary rolls, so that they might be included in the compilation of records of Revolutionary soldiers and sailors, to be published by the State, was carried to completion. In all 43,000 additional record cards were written, reviewed and sorted in with those previously prepared, making a total of 595,000 separate record cards

prepared for the proposed compilation; and this number is increased by the addition of cross-reference cards for variations in names, so that the record index comprises considerably more than 600,000 cards, from which the condensed abstracts of individual military and naval service are to be printed. Simply as an index for use in answering the inquiries that pour in upon the office through the mails for proofs of eligibility to membership in the Society of Sons of the Revolution and the numerous kindred societies lately established throughout the country, as well as those made by personal inquiry for the same object, this record index has proved already to be well worth all it cost, without taking into account the fact that it furnishes the basis of the intended publication, and is to be used as copy for that purpose. Its value and function as an index will continue after the compilation is published, and it will always be retained for that purpose, as the printed work will not give all the separate references by volume and page that go to make up a record.

During the year the first three volumes of the records of the General Court were mended and bound in such a manner as to insure their permanent preservation. This action was timely and necessary, as the volumes were in such a condition that they could not be handled, and it was necessary to lock them up out of sight. Five volumes of muster rolls were also mended on tissue and newly bound in a substantial manner.

It is almost unnecessary to say that the work of the archive division is growing rapidly in magnitude and importance. The newly awakened interest in historical matters, genealogies, etc., has greatly increased the demands upon this division of the office, and the daily number of visitors has grown from an average of four or five to be fifteen to twenty. Proper attention to these visitors, who, of course, cannot be permitted access to the records except with the supervision and assistance of a clerk, occupies much of the time of the force in this division, and largely accounts for the slow rate of progress in the work of rendering the archives more accessible. It may yet be necessary, in the public interest, as well as in the interest of private historical research, to limit temporarily the use of the archives by individuals until the needed work of indexing can be completed.

## DOCUMENT DIVISION.

There were printed, under the direction of this office, during the year 1894, in the Public Document series (numbering forty-eight different reports), 152,250 volumes, — an increase of 6,000 volumes over 1893. Of this number, 68,225 were handled and distributed in the document division of this office, being supplied to cities and towns, public officers, libraries and to the public generally.

In addition to the Public Document series, there were printed and distributed 25,000 copies of the pamphlet edition of the Laws, 8,500 copies of the Blue Book; and there were also received and distributed 1,600 copies of the Manual for the General Court, 1,359 copies of the term reports and 630 copies of the Senate and House Journals, — making a grand total of 105,314 volumes which passed through the document division during the year.

In accordance with a suggestion in the last annual report, the Legislature of 1894 revised the law in relation to the printing and distribution of reports of boards, public officers, commissions, etc., so as to include in the Public Document series all reports of permanent officers or boards. It was also provided by law that all Public Documents shall be distributed through the Secretary of the Commonwealth, including the distribution to members of the General Court, formerly made through the office of the Sergeant-at-Arms. Under this new provision of law arrangements have been made in this office for effecting exchanges of documents among Senators and Representatives with the least possible trouble and expense.

It is apparent that the present edition of the Blue Book (8,500 copies) is not sufficient to meet the constantly increasing demand. I therefore suggest that the edition be increased to 10,000, and that the number allowed to each member of the General Court be increased from thirteen to seventeen copies.

## REGIMENTAL HISTORIES.

Since the last report of this office, no regimental histories have been purchased under the act of 1893, “to authorize the purchase of historical works relative to the services of Massachusetts volunteers during the late war.” I am informed,

unofficially, that the history of the Eighth Light Battery and of the Fifty-seventh Infantry are in process of preparation, and will probably be submitted for approval during the coming year.

#### STATE PRINTING.

As supervisor of State printing, I have inspected the State printing office from time to time, observing the manner in which the work has been performed, and being constantly in communication with the State printers. In addition to the general supervision exercised by me, all bills have been carefully examined and the matter itself measured by an expert employed by the Auditor, under the provisions of chapter 287 of the Acts of 1893.

The largest item of expense during the year was that for the series of Public Documents, amounting to \$49,063.42. This series now numbers forty-eight documents, and their cost ranged from about \$6,000 for the Agricultural report and \$4,000 for the report of the Board of Health down to \$21.40 for the report of the Board of Registration in Dentistry.

Other large items in the printing bills were: House bills, documents, etc., \$14,876.50; Senate bills, etc., \$8,629.35; ballots, \$6,780.10; and Blue Book, \$6,516.20.

The aggregate of these items is materially less than that of the preceding year.

#### EARLY LAWS.

Under the authority of chapter 104, Resolves of 1889, the work of collating, indexing and publishing the Acts and Resolves of the General Court, from the adoption of the Constitution to the year 1806, has been continued.

Volume 5, covering the years 1788-89, is recently from the press, while the copy for volumes 6 and 7 has been prepared. The publication of these two volumes, covering the period of 1790-93, inclusive, together with the compilation of material for subsequent volumes, is projected for the current year. In this work recourse to the original sources, whether acts, resolves or addresses, is had when possible; and, while this has materially increased the labor of preparing the copy and verifying the reprint, it has served the purpose of correcting many glaring errors in the early pamphlet edition, and brought



to light, through careful searching of the archives, large numbers of documents which have heretofore been overlooked.

#### PUBLICATION OF SPECIAL LAWS.

By chapter 110 of the Resolves of 1894, it was provided that the special acts passed from the year 1889 to 1893, inclusive, be collated and published, under the direction of the Secretary of the Commonwealth, in a volume uniform with the previous volumes of the special acts. This work is now in progress, and 1,424 pages are in type. About 60 more pages will complete the volume, and it will be issued about the first of March. The copy has been prepared by the clerical force of the office and edited by Bowdoin S. Parker, Esq., late chairman of the House Committee on the Judiciary, by whom, also, the index to the volume will be made.

#### MANUSCRIPT OF THE CONSTITUTION.

By authority of chapter 58 of the Resolves of 1894, a perfect copy of the original manuscript of the Constitution of the Commonwealth was made during the year, under the personal direction of the Secretary, by Mr. Samuel M. Barton, chief engrossing clerk of the office. For this copy, parchment of the same size as the original was procured, on which the copy was written line for line, with interlineations and marginal notes wherever such appeared in the original, and with special care to reproduce punctuation and capitalization.

By virtue of the resolve referred to, this official copy, being duly attested by the Secretary of the Commonwealth, has the same force and effect as the original.

#### CHANGES OF NAMES.

The returns of 326 names changed as decreed by the several judges of probate were received and filed in this office, in compliance with the requirements of section 14, chapter 148 of the Public Statutes, and published in the Blue Book.

#### PEDDLERS' LICENSES.

There were issued to hawkers and peddlers, under the provisions of chapter 68 of the Public Statutes, 1,865 licenses, — an increase of 52 over the previous year. Of this number,

350 were for the State, 760 for counties, 517 for cities and towns and 238 for cities and towns in which the applicant resided and paid taxes upon his stock in trade. There were also issued 944 free licenses to soldiers and sailors, and 35 free licenses to persons seventy years of age or upward.

Five licenses were issued to itinerant vendors, under the Act of 1890.

The number of transfers of licenses was 158.

#### RETURNS UNDER THE "LOBBY ACT."

Under the Lobby Act (chapter 446 of 1890, as amended by chapter 223 of 1891 and chapter 298 of 1894), 305 entries were made upon the docket of legislative counsel and agents. Returns were received at this office covering 295 of these entries. Of those received, it became the duty of the Secretary to transmit 23 to the Attorney-General for his information, 22 of them appearing to be irregular or defective, and the other being received after the expiration of the time limit. The ten cases of delinquency were also reported to the Attorney-General, as required by law.

#### ELECTIONS.

All statements and suggestions referring to elections appear, as required by law, in connection with the Returns of Assessed Polls, Registered Voters, etc., as Public Document, No. 43. In addition to the statistics heretofore published in this document, there is now presented, in accordance with chapter 200 of the Acts of 1894, the number of votes received by each candidate for a State office at the last annual State election, arranged by cities, towns and districts, as returned to this office.

Under the provisions of the Election Act of 1893, as amended by chapter 248 of the Acts of 1894, relative to statements of election expenses, 375 duplicate returns were received from city and town clerks and placed on file. I respectfully refer to my suggestion regarding these returns in Public Document No. 43.

#### PROCLAMATIONS.

The usual Thanksgiving and Arbor Day proclamations by His Excellency the Governor were printed and distributed

under the direction of this office. Of the Thanksgiving proclamation, 2,076 were sent by mail to churches and 80 to institutions; and of the Arbor Day proclamation, 1,027 were distributed by mail.

There were also printed and distributed 1,000 copies of the first of the Patriots' Day proclamations, issued by His Excellency the Governor under the act (chapter 130 of 1894) "to abolish Fast Day and to make the nineteenth day of April a legal holiday."

#### PARDONS, REQUISITIONS, ETC.

The number of pardons made out and issued in 1894 was 47; requisitions upon other States, 33; warrants issued upon requisitions from other States, 26; transfers from prisons, etc., to lunatic hospitals, 15; habitual criminal permit, 1.

#### INSOLVENCY RETURNS.

Under the provisions of section 143, chapter 157 of the Public Statutes, the returns of 787 cases of insolvent debtors were received during the year from the several judges of the courts of insolvency, and entered in this office for convenient reference.

#### NATURALIZATION RETURNS.

Under the provisions of section 5, chapter 345 of the Acts of 1885, returns were received of the naturalization of 2,505 persons before the various courts of the Commonwealth, — a decrease of 4,076 over the number returned for 1893. These returns, as required by law, were indexed and bound in convenient form for reference.

#### RECORD INK.

An investigation of public records, by Commissioner Robert T. Swan, having shown that much mischief had been done, and more was likely to be done, by the use of fugitive inks, the Legislature of 1894, upon the recommendation of Mr. Swan, passed an act (chapter 378) "to establish standard record inks for public records." This act forbids the use upon any book of record or registry in any of the departments or offices of the Commonwealth, or of any county, city or town therein, of any ink excepting such as shall be furnished by the Secretary

of the Commonwealth; and the Secretary is required to establish, with the assistance of a chemist, a standard of ink, and to furnish inks of such standard to the several departments and offices wherein their use is required.

Under authority of this law advertisements were inserted in the Boston papers and notices were sent to manufacturers in New York calling for proposals, to be accompanied by samples of ink to be furnished. A standard was chosen from the specifications issued by the British Stationery Office, and in response to the advertisement seven samples of ink were received. These were subjected to chemical analysis and rigid tests of exposure to light and weather. As the result of these analyses and tests, and upon the advice of the chemist employed for the State, Prof. G. F. H. Markoe, the ink now in use, manufactured by one of the most prominent firms in the country, was adopted and the issue was begun about November first. It is used to-day probably by several thousand persons, and as only twelve complaints against it have reached this office, it may fairly be said to give general satisfaction. The complaints referred to are generally to the effect that the ink is too heavy, and is apt to blur unless it is allowed to become perfectly dry, and it is said by some that they cannot spare the time to allow it to dry. It is evident from the nature of these complaints that the use of thin fluids, which, while flowing smoothly and drying quickly, are not sufficiently permanent for records, has been too common; and it only serves to show more clearly the necessity for some enactment like that of the new law. For instance, one town officer who complains of the ink writes that "the ink we had been using gave us none of these troubles, and would stand in the wells a month if necessary, and flow well every day." It is apparent that an ink so thin that it could stand a month's evaporation without becoming thick enough to clog a pen must be too thin to be permanent. I judge from such complaints that it is a common practice to allow the ink to stand for indefinite periods in the inkstands, subjected, of course, to evaporation and consequent thickening if the ink be originally of a sufficient consistency to make a permanent record. I am convinced that if the ink adopted be used properly and renewed frequently in the wells, as is done in all well-regulated public offices, no difficulty will be



found with it except such as will attend the use of any ink heavy enough to insure its permanency beyond a doubt. There is, however, no prejudice in this office in favor of the present standard and if, as is quite probable, experiments shall prove that greater convenience in use can be secured without impairing the prime and indispensable quality of permanency, such an improvement will be made.

Information comes to me, unofficially, that some recording officers are not complying with the law, and openly refuse to do so. A town clerk has written to me that he has been in the habit of making his own ink; and he says, in substance, that if he considers the State ink better than his he will use it, — otherwise not. In view of these facts, I respectfully suggest that an adequate penalty be provided for non-compliance with this law. If this be not done, and recording officers are to be allowed to violate the law with impunity, it would be better, for the sake of a decent regard for the authority of the Commonwealth, to repeal the law.

The amount of ink sold up to Jan. 1, 1895, is shown by the following table: —

	Gallons.	Quarts.	Pints.	Half-pints.
Counties, . . . . .	10	614	62	12
Cities, . . . . .	28	1,078	324	72
Towns, . . . . .	59	410	572	846
	97	2,102	958	930

The receipts from these sales amount to \$1,843.63.  
There have been issued free to State officers, boards and commissions, 3 gallons, 173 quarts, 17 pints and 46 half-pints.

MISCELLANEOUS.

As required by law, the return of the Surveyor-General of Lumber of the various kinds and quantities of lumber surveyed and the amount of fees received by him and his deputies in the year 1893 was received and filed.

The return of the Inspector-General of Fish was received and published in the Boston "Daily Advertiser" for Feb. 23, 1894.

The four special reports from this office which form a part of the Public Document series, namely, Returns of Births, Marriages and Deaths (Public Document No. 1); Abstract of Certificates of Corporations (Public Document No. 10); Aggregates of Polls, Property, Taxes, etc. (Public Document No. 19); and Returns of Assessed Polls, Registered Voters and Persons who voted, etc. (Public Document No. 43), have been made as required by law, and it is, therefore, unnecessary in this report to do more than refer to these documents.

Respectfully,

WM. M. OLIN,

*Secretary of the Commonwealth.*

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# LIQUOR LICENSES

1894.

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ABSTRACT OF RETURNS made by the several City and Town clerks to the Secretary of the Commonwealth, in the year 1894, under the requirements of section 5, chapter 100, Public Statutes, showing the number of licenses issued for the sale of intoxicating liquors, the amounts received therefor, and the number of licenses revoked during the year, with a statement of the vote given at their last annual meeting on the question, "Shall licenses be granted for the sale of intoxicating liquors in this city (or town)?"

[NOTE. — The action of a town (in February, March or April) governs the year in which the vote is taken, while that of a city (in December) governs the following year.]

*Liquor Licenses, 1894.*

COUNTIES, CITIES AND TOWNS.	FIRST CLASS.		SECOND CLASS.		THIRD CLASS.		FOURTH CLASS.		FIFTH CLASS.		SIXTH CLASS.		SPECIAL CLUB.		Received for Licenses.	Vote at last Annual Meet- ing. Shall Licenses be granted?	
	No. Issued.	Amounts Re- ceived for same.	No. Issued.	Amounts Re- ceived for same.	No. Issued.	Amounts Re- ceived for same.	No. Issued.	Amounts Re- ceived for same.	No. Issued.	Amounts Re- ceived for same.	No. Issued.	Amounts Re- ceived for same.	No. Issued.	Amounts Re- ceived for same.		Yes.	No.
BARNSTABLE CO.																	
Barnstable, .																76	112
Bourne, .																24	98
Brewster, .																37	78
Chatham, .																5	55
Dennis, .																46	73
Eastham, .																8	36
Falmouth, .																87	165
Harwich, .																54	204
Mashpee, .																1	61
Orleans, .																9	32
Provincetown, .															\$1 00	77	284
Sandwich, .															1 00	98	188
Truro, .																10	87
Wellfleet, .																8	76
Yarmouth, .																28	113
Totals, .											2	\$2 00			\$2 00	563	1,662





## Liquor Licenses, 1894 — Continued.

COUNTIES, CITIES AND TOWNS.	FIRST CLASS.			SECOND CLASS.			THIRD CLASS.			FOURTH CLASS.			FIFTH CLASS.			SIXTH CLASS.			SPECIAL CLUB.			Received for Licenses.	Vote at last Annual Meet- ing. Shall Licenses be granted?	
	No. Issued.	Amounts Re- ceived for same.	No. Revoked.	No. Issued.	Amounts Re- ceived for same.	No. Revoked.	No. Issued.	Amounts Re- ceived for same.	No. Revoked.	No. Issued.	Amounts Re- ceived for same.	No. Revoked.	No. Issued.	Amounts Re- ceived for same.	No. Revoked.	No. Issued.	Amounts Re- ceived for same.	No. Revoked.	Yes.	No.				
BRISTOL Co.																								
Con.																								
FALL RIVER, .	74	\$91,200 00	1				70	\$21,000 00	1			49	\$49 00	5						6,977	3,250			
Freetown, .																				1	123			
Mansfield, .																				27	129			
NEW BEDFORD, .	38	57,000 00					3	1,800 00				41	41 00							3,541	2,189			
N. Attleborough, .												2	2 00							457	646			
Norton, .																				93	95			
Raynham, .																				60	70			
Rehoboth, .																				15	82			
Seekonk, .																				2	62			
Somerset, .																				69	98			
Swansey, .																				12	82			
TAUNTON, .	25	41,600 00										11	11 00							2,329	1,713			
Westport, .																				13	82			
Totals, .	137	\$189,800 00	1				73	\$22,800 00	1			109	\$109 00	5						14,275	10,199			
DUKES Co.																								
Chilmark, .																								
Cottage City, .																								
Edgartown, .												1	\$1 00							17	95			
Gay Head, .																				14	59			
Gosnold, .																				22	22			
Tisbury, .																				1	8			
West Tisbury, .																				10	96			
Totals, .												1	\$1 00							44	343			
ESSEX Co.																								
Amesbury, .																				574	863			
Andover, .												7	\$7 00							64	348			

Beverly, . . . . .	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	7 00	412	867
Boxford, . . . . .	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	13	61
Bradford, . . . . .	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	195	454
Danvers, . . . . .	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	6 00	334	626
Essex, . . . . .	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	1 00	36	108
Georgetown, . . . . .	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	177	177
GLOUCESTER, . . . . .	125	\$37,500 00	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	37,509 00	1,549	1,434
Groveland, . . . . .	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	142	193
Hamilton, . . . . .	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	59	89
HAVERHILL, . . . . .	27	32,400 00	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	54,041 00	2,137	2,509
Ipswich, . . . . .	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	242	363
LAWRENCE, . . . . .	139	77,200 00	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	88,233 00	3,857	3,423
LYNN, . . . . .	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	5,808	4,006
Lynnfield, . . . . .	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	60	79
Manchester, . . . . .	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	68	106
Marblehead, . . . . .	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	622	972
Merrimac, . . . . .	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	109	256
Methuen, . . . . .	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	2 00	256	448
Middleton, . . . . .	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	25	48
Nahant, . . . . .	\$3	3,000 00	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	130	43
Newbury, . . . . .	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	20	110
NEWBURYPORT, . . . . .	12	17,942 00	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	22,231 50	1,201	952
North Andover, . . . . .	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	2 00	182	360
Peabody, . . . . .	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	858	990
Rockport, . . . . .	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	31	347
Rowley, . . . . .	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	32	121
SALEM, . . . . .	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	2,722	2,605
Salisbury, . . . . .	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	41	92
Saugus, . . . . .	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	382	413
Swampscott, . . . . .	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	124	353
Topsfield, . . . . .	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	1 00	16	56
Wenham, . . . . .	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	1 00	7	75
West Newbury, . . . . .	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	23	86
Totals, . . . . .	106	\$168,042 00	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	\$205,091 50	22,208	24,013
FRANKLIN Co.												
Ashfield, . . . . .	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	24	77
Barnardston, . . . . .	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	35	68
Buckland, . . . . .	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	\$2 00	126	133
Charlemont, . . . . .	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	1 00	9	84
Collrain, . . . . .	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	21	60
Conway, . . . . .	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	1 00	51	135

\* Thirty-eight first and fourth classes taken together.

† Thirty-nine first and fourth classes taken together.

† Twenty-five first and fourth classes taken together.

§ Issued for three months.

*Liquor Licenses, 1894 — Continued.*

COUNTIES, CITIES AND TOWNS.	FIRST CLASS.			SECOND CLASS.			THIRD CLASS.			FOURTH CLASS.			FIFTH CLASS.			SIXTH CLASS.			SPECIAL CLUB.			Received for Licenses.	Vote at last Annual Meet- ing. Shall Licenses be granted?
	No. Issued.	Amounts Re- ceived for same.	No. Revoked.	No. Issued.	Amounts Re- ceived for same.	No. Revoked.	No. Issued.	Amounts Re- ceived for same.	No. Revoked.	No. Issued.	Amounts Re- ceived for same.	No. Revoked.	No. Issued.	Amounts Re- ceived for same.	No. Revoked.	No. Issued.	Amounts Re- ceived for same.	No. Revoked.					
FRANKLIN Co.																							
—Con.																							
Deerfield, . . .	2	\$2,000 00	—	1	\$400 00	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	\$3,001 00	189	
Erving, . . .	1	1,000 00	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	1,300 00	65	
Gill, . . .	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	33	
Greenfield, . .	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	5 00	487	
Hawley, . . .	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	488	
Heath, . . .	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	65	
Leverett, . . .	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	1	
Leyden, . . .	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	4	
Monroe, . . .	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	49	
Montague, . . .	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	7	
New Salem, .	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	43	
Northfield, . .	6	6,000 00	—	6	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	34	
Orange, . . .	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	5	
Rowe, . . .	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	17	
Shelburne, . . .	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	3	
Shutesbury, . .	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	3 00	356	
Sunderland, . .	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	3 00	468	
Warwick, . . .	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	3	
Whately, . . .	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	41	
Wendell, . . .	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	28	
Whately, . . .	1	1,000 00	—	1	250 00	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	98	
Whately, . . .	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	13	
Whately, . . .	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	36	
Whately, . . .	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	80	
Whately, . . .	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	14	
Whately, . . .	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	45	
Whately, . . .	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	4	
Whately, . . .	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	45	
Whately, . . .	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	44	
Whately, . . .	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	62	
Totals, . . .	10	\$10,000 00	—	2	\$650 00	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	\$13,872 00	2,092	
HAMPDEN Co.																							
Agawam, . . .	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	173	
Blandford, . .	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	119	
Brimfield, . .	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	33	
Chicopee, . . .	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	2	
Chicopee, . . .	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	33	
Chicopee, . . .	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	20	
Chicopee, . . .	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	53	
Chicopee, . . .	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	138	
Chicopee, . . .	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	62	
Chicopee, . . .	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	1,282	
Chicopee, . . .	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	597	
Chicopee, . . .	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	
Chicopee, . . .	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	
Chicopee, . . .	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	
Chicopee, . . .	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	
Chicopee, . . .	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	
Chicopee, . . .	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	
Chicopee, . . .	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	
Chicopee, . . .	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	
Chicopee, . . .	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	
Chicopee, . . .	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	
Chicopee, . . .	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	
Chicopee, . . .	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	
Chicopee, . . .	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	
Chicopee, . . .	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	
Chicopee, . . .	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	
Chicopee, . . .	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	
Chicopee, . . .	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	
Chicopee, . . .	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	
Chicopee, . . .	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	
Chicopee, . . .	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	
Chicopee, . . .	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	
Chicopee, . . .	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	
Chicopee, . . .	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	
Chicopee, . . .	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	
Chicopee, . . .	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	
Chicopee, . . .	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	
Chicopee, . . .	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	
Chicopee, . . .	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	
Chicopee, . . .	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	
Chicopee, . . .	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	
Chicopee, . . .	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	
Chicopee, . . .	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	
Chicopee, . . .	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	
Chicopee, . . .	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	
Chicopee, . . .	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	
Chicopee, . . .	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	
Chicopee, . . .	—	—	—	—	—	—																	

[illegible]

\* Fourteen first, fourth and fifth classes taken together.

Thirty-four first and fourth classes taken together,

+ Separated from the town of Longmeadow, July 1, 1894.

§ Thirty-nine first and fourth classes taken together.

|| One expired May 1.







*Liquor Licenses, 1894—Continued.*[illegible]





*Liquor Licenses, 1894 — Continued.*[illegible]



*Liquor Licenses, 1894 — Concluded.*

## RECAPITULATION.

COUNTIES.	Vote at last Annual Meeting. Shall Licenses be granted?		NUMBER ISSUED.							Number Revoked.	Received for Licenses.
	Yes.	No.	First Class.	Second Class.	Third Class.	Fourth Class.	Fifth Class.	Sixth Class.	Special Club.		
BARNSTABLE, .	563	1,662	-	-	-	-	2	-	-	\$2 00	
BERKSHIRE, . .	6,259	5,989	29	2	-	27	6	27	-	54,077 00	
BRISTOL, . . .	14,275	10,199	137 <sup>+</sup>	-	-	73	-	109	10	7	214,709 00
DUKES, . . . .	44	343	-	-	-	-	-	1	-	-	1 00
ESSEX, . . . .	22,208	24,013	106 <sup>†</sup>	-	-	44	-	120	6	1	205,091 50
FRANKLIN, . . .	2,092	2,858	10	2	-	10	-	22	-	1	13,872 00
HAMPDEN, . . .	11,509	7,876	107 <sup>‡</sup>	2	-	25	2	80	6	-	169,780 00
HAMPSHIRE, . .	3,270	3,677	18	1	-	18	-	22	1	-	24,572 00
MIDDLESEX, . .	28,224	34,338	119	-	-	131	1	190	2	2	206,440 00
NANTUCKET, . .	315	188	-	1	-	2	-	2	-	-	852 00
NORFOLK, . . .	6,462	10,174	2	-	-	1	1	31	-	-	4,392 50
PLYMOUTH, . .	4,998	8,017	10	1	-	3	-	8	1	-	11,308 00
SUFFOLK, . . .	38,265	27,175	686	23	-	789	53	294	48	7	1,084,194 00
WORCESTER, . .	19,568	19,364	133	4	-	56	4	109	-	4	212,659 00
Totals, . . . .	158,052	155,873	1,357	36	-	1,179	67	1,017	74	22	\$2,201,950 00

\* Sixty-three first and fourth classes taken together.

† Sixty-four first and fourth classes taken together.

‡ Eighty-seven first, fourth and fifth classes taken together.

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# SHERIFFS' RETURNS

1894.

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*Abstract of the Returns of the Sheriffs of the several Counties of the Commonwealth for the Year ending Sept. 30, 1894, in compliance with the Public Statutes, Chapter 25, Sections 25, 26.*

COUNTIES.	AMOUNT OF MONEY RECEIVED.					NUMBER OF DAYS' ATTENDANCE.				
	From County Treasurer.	For Fees in Civil Processes.	For Fees in Criminal Processes.	From all other Sources.	Total.	Upon Sup. Court.	Upon Court of Record.	Upon County Commissioners.	Upon more than one Court at same time.	Total.
Barnstable, .	\$703 80	-	\$78 70	\$23 55	\$806 05	2	16	22	2	65
Berkshire, .	1,600 00	-	-	100 00	1,700 00	5	64	-	-	69
Bristol, .	1,520 00	-	-	2,538 32	4,058 32	4	134	-	-	138
Dukes, .	641 25	\$183 28	49 26	100 00	973 79	-	9	-	-	9
Essex, .	2,483 34	-	-	6,201 45	8,684 79	5	202	-	31	238
Franklin, .	-	-	123 00	800 00	923 00	4	28	-	-	32
Hampden, .	-	-	4,749 55	-	4,749 55	9	163	-	18	202
Hampshire, .	1,144 97	-	-	1,195 00	2,339 97	2	53	-	-	67
Middlesex, .	2,650 00	-	-	6,687 42	9,337 42	11	397	-	170	408
Nantucket, .	390 49	22 54	166 24	9 86	589 13	-	2	-	-	2
Norfolk, .	5,190 68	-	-	2,678 20	7,868 88	33	627	-	-	660
Plymouth, .	900 00	-	-	-	900 00	20	86	86	-	192
Suffolk, .	3,025 00	-	-	25,522 73	28,547 73	*263	†1,229	-	-	246
Worcester, .	2,515 52	-	-	3,659 50	6,175 02	11	200	-	12	223
Totals, .	\$22,765 05	\$205 82	\$5,166 75	\$49,516 03	\$77,653 65	351	3,210	132	233	2,551

\* Supreme judicial court for the Commonwealth, 80; supreme judicial court, 183.

† First session, 168; second session, 168; third session, 173; jury waived, 166; equity, 246; divorce, 64; criminal, 244.

† District court.

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RETURN  
OF  
REGISTERS OF DEEDS  
1894.

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*Abstract of the Returns of Registers of Deeds in the several Counties of the Commonwealth for the Year ending Sept. 30, 1894, in compliance with the Public Statutes, Chapter 24, Sections 30, 31, 32.*

COUNTIES.	NAMES OF REGISTERS.	Number of Deeds Recorded.	Number of other Instruments.	Amount of Fees received for Deeds.	Amount received for other Instruments.	Number of Legal Pages covered.	Expenses of Office above what is paid by County.
Barnstable, . . . . .	Andrew F. Sherman, . . .	1,932	185	\$1,296 80	\$37 00	6,669	\$375 00
Berkshire Middle District, . . .	Henry M. Pitt, . . .	1,393	585	1,223 95	199 30	6,569	75 00
Berkshire Northern District, . . .	E. E. Merchant, . . .	1,378	260	1,224 03	94 05	5,991	-
Berkshire Southern District, . . .	John C. New, . . .	599	121	497 95	37 70	2,472	-
Bristol Northern District, . . .	Joseph E. Wilbar, . . .	2,754	115	2,083 55	103 50	9,597	1,050 00
Bristol Southern District, . . .	George B. Richmond, . . .	2,492	509	2,112 89	285 80	9,850	906 15
Bristol Fall River District, . . .	Nathan D. Chace, . . .	2,554	762	2,274 15	183 50	10,767	865 00
Dukes, . . . . .	Littleton C. Wimpenny, . . .	480	46	290 00	22 19	1,265	-
Essex Northern District, . . .	John J. Donovan, . . .	2,309	95	1,851 60	57 05	8,943	834 00
Essex Southern District, . . .	Charles S. Osgood, . . .	13,347	955	8,922 65	296 45	43,305	5,176 38
Franklin, . . . . .	Edwin Stratton, . . .	2,034	618	1,570 55	154 50	8,022	566 33
Hampden, . . . . .	James R. Wells, . . .	6,458	1,405	4,474 75	399 50	19,922	1,997 75
Hampshire, . . . . .	Robert W. Lyman, . . .	2,798	198	1,753 82	54 45	8,769	779 00
Middlesex Northern District, . . .	Joseph P. Thompson, . . .	3,070	1,479	2,850 25	457 20	15,000	1,718 69
Middlesex Southern District, . . .	Charles B. Stevens, . . .	20,400	10,831	18,133 63	4,862 42	99,500	18,757 30
Nantucket, . . . . .	Lauriston Bunker, . . .	267	70	132 40	60 15	932	-
Norfolk, . . . . .	John H. Burdakin, . . .	9,673	498	7,348 06	263 61	*23,500	4,771 83
Plymouth, . . . . .	William S. Danforth, . . .	7,625	196	5,822 00	162 08	33,422	3,629 60
Suffolk, . . . . .	Thomas F. Temple, . . .	21,507	5,916	16,994 25	4,762 10	101,760	17,453 19
Worcester, . . . . .	Harvey B. Wilder, . . .	9,768	3,258	6,561 45	2,187 15	40,424	5,944 30
Worcester Northern District, . . .	David H. Merriam, . . .	1,789	915	1,628 85	276 85	8,483	805 68
Totals, . . . . .	. . . . .	114,627	29,017	\$89,047 58	\$14,956 55	465,162	\$65,705 20

\* Estimated.